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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Title

Please change the title from "VIDEO MIX PROGRAM GUIDE" to -> SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR DISPLAYING INFORMATION WITH A PERCEIVED PARTIAL TRANSPARENCY OVER A TELEVISION PROGRAM ->.

In The Claims

Please add new claims 2-27 as follows:

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2. A method for presenting information simultaneously with a television program, the method

comprising:

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